(b) whether any help has been provided to this unemployed youth for making petrol; and

(c) if so, the details thereof

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) The Scientists asked to verify the claim and examine the product have since submitted a Report. It has been found that the starting material used for producing the so-called synthetic petrol is engine oil. The Expert Team therefore did not find any novelty in the product since engine oil is also a petroleum product which can be converted into petrol. It may not therefore be considered in scientific sense as substitute for the present method of petrol production since the starting material in this newly invented process is still the crude oil.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Universal immunisation programme in Andhra Pradesh

688. SHRI PRABHAKAR RAO KALVALA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Universal Immunisation Programme launched with the cooperation of the UNICEF is being implemented in Andhra Pradesh;

(b) if so, the names of the districts in Andhra Pradesh which have been covered under this programme; and

(c) by when all the districts in Andhra Pradesh are proposed to be covered by this programme?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Fifteen districts of Andhra Pradesh, namely Anantpur, Cuddapah, Nizamabad, Kurnool, Mehboob Nagar, Vishakhapatnam, Warrangal, West Godavari, Medak, Guntur; Rangareddy, Vijainagaram, Prakasam, Karimnagar and Nalgonda have been covered under this programme so far.

(c) The remaining districts will be taken up during 1989-90.

Primary health centres in Andhra Pradesh

689. SHRI PRABHAKAR RAO KALVALA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to open more Primary Health Centres in Andhra Pradesh during 1989-1990;

(b) if so, the details thereof with their locations; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) and (b) Government of Andhra Pradesh have agreed to establish 200 Primary Health Centres in the year 1989-90 during the Annual Plan discussions held in the Planning Commission recently. The location/site for the primary health centres to be established is decided by the State Government.

(c) Does not arise.

NCC Cadets/Officers in the country

690. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of NCC cadets and officers in the country, university-wise during the current financial year;

(b) the corresponding figures for the years 1986-87 and 1987-88; and

(c) the total expenditure during the current financial year and the last two financial years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION AND SUPPLIES IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI): (a) and (b) A statement containing the requisite information of 97 Universities is attached. The information in respect of the Universities in the States of Maharashtra, Andhra Pradesh and Jammu & Kashmir is being collected. [*See Appendix CXLIX, Annexure* No. 37]

(c) Expenditure on the following items only is booked in the Defence Budget for NCC:—

1. Pay and allowances of whole time officers and Girl Cadet Instructors.
2. Clothing and equipment.
3. 50 per cent Camp expenditure.
4. Purchase and maintenance of civilian pattern vehicles.
5. Office contingent grant.

The expenditure incurred on these items during the last 3 years is as under:—

	(Rs. in lakhs)
1986-87	1252.31
1987-88	1683.87
1988-89 (upto 31-1-1989)	954.10

The expenditure on pay and alowances of regular Service officers, Permanent Instructional staff, training equipment, ammunition and service vehicles is directly booked in the Budget of respective Service Headquarters and not separately for NCC. In addition, expenditure is also incurred by the State Governments/ Union Territory Administrations.

Total expenditure on NCC including the share of State Governments/Union Territories (which is approx. Rs. 40 crores), expenditure on the five items mentioned above and the expenditure booked in the budget of respective service Headquarters and not separately in the Defence budget for NCC is estimated to be of the order of about Rs. 137 crores per annum.

Blood testing facility in hospitals

691. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government propagate through T.V., Radio and Newspapers that persons suffering from fever must get their blood examined in order to detect the malaria parasites;

(b) whether it is also a fact that Government have made available this facility in certain hospitals in Delhi round the clock;

(c) if so, what are the details in this regard;

(d) whether it is a fact that doctor at Emergency of RML Hospital, New Delhi do not entertain patients who want to get their blood examined for this purpose during 9 A.M. to 1 P.M. and ask them to go to OPD;

(e) if so, what are the reasons therefor: and

(f) what steps Government propose to take to ensure that patients who go to hospitals for the purpose get their blood examined immediately?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The routine laboratory in the OPD accept blood samples from 9.30 A.M. to 11.00 A.M. Apart from that there is an emergency laboratory in the emergency block which works round the clock where test is also done.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) and (f) Do not arise.

Extra work allowance for Central Government employees

692. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) since when the present rates of overtime/extra work allowance for Central